

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR  
THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA  
WAYCROSS DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,       )  
  )  
v.                                        )  
  )  
AKEEM HOWARD,                        )  
  )  
                                  Defendant.        )

Case No.   CR517-2

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,       )  
  )  
v.                                        )  
  )  
SAMUEL CADE, ET AL,                 )  
  )  
                                  Defendant.        )

Case No.   CR517-3

ORDER

Carlton R. Bourne, counsel of record for the United States of America in the above-styled cases, has moved for leave of absence. The Court is mindful that personal and professional obligations require the absence of counsel on occasion. The Court, however, cannot accommodate its schedule to the thousands of attorneys who practice within the Southern District of Georgia.

Counsel may be absent at the times requested. However, nothing

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shall prevent these cases from going forward; all discovery shall proceed, status conferences, pretrial conferences, and trial shall not be interrupted or delayed. It is the affirmative obligation of counsel to provide a fitting substitute.

SO ORDERED this 14<sup>th</sup> day of August 2017.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "W. T. Moore, Jr.", is written above a horizontal line.

HONORABLE WILLIAM T. MOORE, JR.  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA